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SUBJECT: M/S JOSEF CONRAD LAW SUIT

REF: WARSAW 7322

1. DEPARTMENTS OF STATE AND JUSTICE APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S EFFORTS CONCERNING SUBJECT REQUEST. FYI: JUSTICE DEFINES QUESTION MORE PRECISELY AS FOLLOWS: ASSUMING THAT THE GOP PERFORMED A LEGITIMATE ACT OF WARFARE WITHIN THE TERRITORY OF A BELIGERANT WHICH ACT CAUSED PROPERTY DAMAGE, PERSONAL INJURY, AND DEATH TO A NON-RESIDENT NEUTRAL TEMPORARILY AND LEGALLY PRESENT WITHIN SUCH TERRITORY, WOULD THE LAW OF POLAND RECOGNIZE THE EXISTANCE OF A REDRESSABLE CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST THE GOP?

2. DEPARTMENT LEAVES TO EMBASSY THE DECISION AS TO WHETHER OR NOT THIS QUESTION SHOULD BE ASKED OF LOCAL LAWYERS AND IF SO WHICH.

3. PLEASE FORWARD COPIES OF ARTICLES OF LAW MENTIONED IN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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4. DATE FOR FILING ANSWER TO PLEADINGS IS NOW SET FOR  
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